Document No:

# LINDEN PARK DECLARATION OF PROTECTIVE COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

CITY OF MADISON, DANE COUNTY, WI.

DANE COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS

DOCUMENT #

12/06/2005 10:58AM

Trans. Fee: Exempt #:

Rec. Fee: 85.00 Pages: 38

801074

#### **PREAMBLE**

Drafted by and return to:
Gail Foltman
Veridian Homes
6801 South Towne Drive
Madison, WI 53713

See Exhibit B (Parcel Identification Numbers)

Declaration made this 5 day of <u>lecember</u>, 2005, by MB Investments, LLC, a Wisconsin limited liability company (the "Declarant").

WHEREAS, Declarant is the owner of real property legally described as the Plat of Linden Park (the "Plat") located in the City of Madison, Dane County, Wisconsin, more particularly described and depicted in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and desires to build thereon a planned development with housing units and shared common property (the "Development"); and

WHEREAS, Declarant desires to provide for the maintenance and enhancement of property values and amenities in said Development, and for the preservation of the properties and improvements thereon, as well as for the preservation of said Development's distinctive style, and to prevent the erection, or maintenance of poorly designed or constructed improvements; and

WHEREAS, to the above end, Declarant desires to subject said real property, to the covenants, restrictions, easements, charges and liens hereinafter set forth, each and all of which is and are for the benefit of said property and each owner thereof; and

WHEREAS, Declarant has thought it desirable for the efficient maintenance and preservation of the values of said Development to create an Association to which should be delegated and assigned the powers of owning, maintaining and administering the Common Property and facilities, as set forth below, and administering and enforcing the covenants and restrictions, and collecting and disbursing the Assessments and charges as hereinafter or in the future created or established, and promoting the health,



welfare and recreation of the Development's residents. Declarant will incorporate Linden Park Homeowners Association, Inc. a non-profit, non-stock corporation, under the laws of the State of Wisconsin (the "Association") for such purposes;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant declares that the real property Lots 1-261, and Outlots 1-24 and alleyways legally described and depicted in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, will and shall be sold, transferred and conveyed subject to the easements, covenants, restrictions, assessments, charges and liens hereinafter set forth.

# PART A ASSOCIATION MATTERS

#### A-1) <u>Definitions.</u>

- A) "Association" shall mean and refer to as Linden Park Homeowners Association, Inc., and its successors and assigns.
- B) "Common Property" includes all those areas located in the Development which are not contained within a Lot and which are intended for common use or are necessary or convenient to the existence, maintenance or safety of the Development. Common Property may also include any additions thereto designated by the Declarant or the Association in any subsequent amendment to this Declaration, and all improvements located on said property, which are intended to be devoted to the common use and enjoyment of members, Owners and Occupants. Common Property shall further include all public or private alleys, accessways, traffic calming measures, entrance signs, plantings, landscaping islands or boulevards, which the City of Madison is not obligated to maintain. Declarant may, by subsequent amendment or easement, designate parts of certain private lands within the Development as Common Property, rendering the Association responsible for maintenance thereof, without subjecting the same to the ownership provisions contained in Section A-3, below.
- C) "Declarant" shall mean and refer to MB Investments of Wisconsin, LLC, a Wisconsin limited liability company, or their successors and assigns.
- D) "Lot" shall mean and refer to the lands described as Linden Park as described and depicted in Exhibit "A", now owned by Declarant, but which Declarant in the future intends to convey to purchasers who shall thereupon become members of the Association. The term "Property" or "Properties" shall be synonymous with the term Lot.
- E) "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of the fee simple title to any of the Properties described in Exhibit "A". A purchaser of any of said Properties by land contract shall be referred to as "Owner" instead of the land contract vendor.
- F) "Occupant" shall mean and refer to the occupant of any of the Properties who shall either be an Owner or a lessee who holds a written lease having an initial term of twelve months or more.
- G) "Subdivision" shall refer to the lands described in Exhibit "A". The term "Subdivision" is synonymous with the term "Development".

#### A-2) Membership and Voting Rights.

A) Members. Declarant will incorporate the Association. Each Owner of a Lot shall automatically become a member of the Association. By acceptance of the Deed or other instrument of conveyance, the Owner(s) of each Lot consent to such Owner's membership in the Association whether or not specified on the deed to the Owner. Membership in the Association is appurtenant to each Lot. Each Owner of a Lot shall automatically be entitled to the benefits and subject to the burdens relating to such membership in the Association. The Association shall have authority to manage the Common Property. Persons or entities, including a land contract vendor, who hold an interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation, shall not be members of the Association. Tenants of Properties who are not Owners shall not be members of the Association. To the extent that Declarant owns any Lot, Declarant shall be a member of the Association until such ownership terminates.

#### B) Voting Rights.

- 1) Each member shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot owned except as set forth in A-2(B) (2) below.
- When there is more than one Owner of a Lot, said Owners shall only be entitled to one collective vote for each Lot. There shall be no fractional votes or voting. When there is more than one Owner of any Lot, the vote attributable to such ownership must be cast unanimously by all the Owners of that Lot, or it shall not be considered for any purpose.
- **C)** Proxies. Any Member may vote by proxy. All proxies shall be in writing and signed by the Owner or in cases where there is more than one Owner, by all Owners of the Lot.
- Association and the rights and obligations with respect to the members thereof, shall be governed by the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the Association; provided, however, that such Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws shall be subject to, and shall not contravene, the terms, conditions, benefits and burdens set forth in this Declaration.
- E) First Year's Operating Expenses. Commencing on the date established for the payment of assessments under Section A-4(B)(1), Declarant shall pay to the Association an amount equal to the estimated operating expenses of the Association for a period of one (1) year, less assessments on Lots owned by Declarant actually paid to the Association for the one (1) year period of time. Said payment may be made in a lump sum or in twelve (12) monthly installments, at Declarant's option. Prior to said date, Declarant shall be solely responsible for payment of all maintenance expenses.

#### A-3) <u>Description</u>.

A) Responsibility for Assessments. At the present time, the Declaration is applicable to all Lots located in the Development. Declarant shall turn over to the Association, at the time control is turned over to the Members, any surplus received by the Association of income over expenses. The following table describes the number of assessment units (an "Assessment Unit"), which are assigned to various Lots in the Development based upon their intended use at the present time. The number of Assessment Units for a particular Lot will be divided by the total number of Assessment Units in the Development to arrive at a particular Lot's percentage share ("Percentage Interest") of assessments for common area maintenance and other expenses, which the Association is permitted to

assess to members under the Declaration. The Declarant shall be responsible for payment of assessments attributable to all Lots owned by Declarant. For the purposes of the following table, a single family residence shall be deemed a Dwelling Unit.

	••	Number of
	<u>Use</u>	Assessment Units
1)	Single Family:	One (1) per Dwelling Unit.
2)	Multi-Family Residential Apartments	Seventy-five/100 <sup>th</sup> (075) per Dwelling Unit
3)	Multi-Family Condominiums	Seventy-five/100 <sup>th</sup> (075) per Dwelling Unit
4)	Multi-Family Townhomes/Duplexes	One (1) per Dwelling Unit

- B) Percentage Interest for Condemnation or Insurance Proceeds. For the purposes of establishing an Owner's percentage of insurance proceeds or condemnation awards in the event any portion of the Common Property is completely destroyed or taken by eminent domain and is not reconstructed, each Owner shall have a percentage interest in the insurance or condemnation proceeds equal to the Percentage Interest of such Owner in the Common Property.
- C) Conveyance, Lease or Encumbrance of Percentage Interest. Any deed, mortgage, lease or other instrument purporting to convey, encumber or lease for a period of time in excess of one (1) year (a "Lease") any Lot shall be deemed to include the Owner's Percentage Interest in the Common Property and in the insurance proceeds or condemnation awards even though such interest is not expressly described or referred to therein. The conveyance, encumbrance or Lease of an Owner's Percentage Interest in the Common Property independent of the appurtenant Lot and the conveyance, encumbrance or Lease of an appurtenant Lot independent of the Owner's Percentage Interest in the Common Property shall be prohibited.

#### D) Ownership.

- 1) The Common Property shall be initially owned by the Declarant until conveyed as provided below.
- Property shall be deemed conveyed with each lot to an Owner, whether or not specified on the deed to the Owner. Legal title to the percentage interest in the Common Property shall be deemed conveyed with any subsequence conveyance of a Lot whether or not specifically stated. Taxes, assessments or other charges on the Common Property may be divided according to each Owner's Percentage Interest by the taxing authority or may be an assessment by the Association against each of the Lots in an amount equal to the Percentage Interest attributable to such Lot.
- Declarant. The Association shall be responsible for the payment of any and all present and future general taxes, assessments or other charges against any portion of the Common Property owned by the Association. General property taxes, assessments and other charges shall be prorated between the Declarant and the Association based on the date of conveyance by the Declarant to the Association.
- E) Damage or Destruction of Common Property by Owner. In the event any Common Property is damaged or destroyed by an Owner or any of his guests, lessees, tenants, licensees, agents or member(s) of his family, including pets, said Owner does hereby irrevocably authorize the

Association to repair said damage. The Association shall repair and restore any damaged area to its former condition. The amount necessary for said repair shall become a special assessment upon the Property of said Owner.

#### A-4) Maintenance of Common Property

#### A) Maintenance Requirements.

- Responsible Party. Declarant shall initially provide for the care, operation, management, maintenance and repair of the Common Property, until the Common Property is conveyed as provided herein. After such time, the Association shall provide for the care, operation, management, maintenance and repair of the Common Property and shall keep the Common Property maintained in good and safe condition.
- General Responsibilities. Maintenance shall include, but not be limited to, responsibility for landscaping and lawn care, trash removal in the alleyways, snow shoveling with particular attention being paid to cross walk ramps and islands, improvements to common areas, upkeep of stormwater management facilities which may include detention basins and drainage swales, common property lighting and/or other common property utility charges and any special street design features or traffic calming features and trash pickup in alleys.
- Specific Responsibilities. Traffic Calming Devices. Certain streets within the Property may include special traffic islands and traffic calming measures within the public right-of-way. The Association shall be responsible, at the Association's sole cost and expense, for the maintenance and upkeep of such physical traffic measures. Such maintenance and upkeep shall be performed at the discretion of the Association except to the extent required by the City of Madison, and shall include landscaping. If the special street design features or landscaping are not maintained, the City of Madison will give notice to the Association that it is not being maintained. If the Association does not respond to the notice within sixty (60) days, the City may modify the physical traffic measures to minimize maintenance needs; including replacing landscaped surfaces with asphalt. The Association and persons involved with the maintenance and upkeep of the special traffic measures shall indemnify and hold harmless the City of Madison and its boards and commissions, and their officers, agents and employees from and against all claims, demands, loss or liability of any kind, type or description, related to the maintenance and upkeep of the special traffic measures.
- 4) In order to carry out its maintenance obligations, the Association may enter into a long-term contract (i.e., no less than ten (10) years with a reputable property management company (the "Management Company"), pursuant to which contract the Management Company shall assume the maintenance obligations of the Association as provided herein.
- 5) Any and all expenses incurred by the Management Company, on behalf of and pursuant to its contract with the Association, in connection with the management and maintenance of the Common Property and administration of the Association shall be deemed to be common expenses ("Common Expenses"), including, without limitation, expenses incurred for: landscaping and lawn care; snow shoveling and plowing; trash removal in alleyways; entrance signs; improvements to the Common Property; common grounds security lighting; municipal utility services for Common Property enforcement of this Declaration (including attorneys' fees); and maintenance and management salaries and wages.

#### B) Assessments.

- The Association, or the Management Company, on its behalf, shall levy annual general assessments ("General Assessments") against each Lot beginning January 1, 2007 or the purpose of maintaining a fund from which Common Expenses may be paid. The General Assessments against each Lot shall be assessed according to their Percentage Interests in the Common Property. General Assessments shall be due in advance on the first day of each year, or in such other manner as the Association may set forth in the Bylaws. Any General Assessment not paid when due shall bear annual interest at a rate of ten percent (10%) until paid and, together with interest, collection costs, and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall constitute a lien on the Lot on which it is assessed.
- 2) The Association, or the Management Company, on behalf of and pursuant to its contract with the Association, may, whenever necessary or appropriate, levy special assessments ("Special Assessments") against the Lots for deficiencies in the case of destruction or condemnation, for defraying the cost of improvements to the Common Property or for any other purpose for which the Association and/or the Management Company may determine a Special Assessment is necessary or appropriate for the improvement or benefit of the Subdivision. Special Assessments shall be paid at such time and in such manner as the Association or the Management Company may determine. Any Special Assessment or installment not paid when due shall bear annual interest at a rate of ten percent (10%) until paid and, together with the interest, collection costs and reasonable attorneys fees, shall constitute a lien on the Lot on which it is assessed.
- to its contract with the Association, shall have the right to collect all General and Special Assessments and such sums shall constitute a lien on such Lot. The Owner of a Lot, or any portion thereof, shall be personally obligated to pay such charges which were assessed or accrued upon the land owned during the period of Ownership. The Association or the Management Company, on behalf of and pursuant to its contract with the Association, may commence an action against any Owner personally obligated to pay the charges or to foreclose the lien for such charge against any Lots. Any such foreclosure action may be brought at the Association election, either in the same manner as an action to foreclose a real estate mortgage, or as a proceeding to enforce a statutory maintenance lien as provided in Section 779.70, Wis. Stats., to the extent said Section is applicable. Any lien in favor of the Association/Management Company securing unpaid charges arising by virtue of this Declaration shall be subject and subordinate to the lien of any mortgage whether the mortgage is executed or recorded prior to or after the creation of such lien.
- C) <u>Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages</u>. The lien of the assessments provided for herein shall be subordinate to the lien of any first mortgage. Sale or transfer of any Property shall not release the assessment lien. However, the sale or transfer of any Property pursuant to mortgage foreclosure or any proceeding in lieu thereof shall extinguish the lien of such assessment(s) as to payments which become due prior to such sale or transfer. No sale or transfer pursuant to foreclosure or proceedings in lieu thereof shall relieve such Property from liability from any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the lien thereof.
- D) Joint and Several Liability of Grantor and Grantee. Upon a voluntary conveyance, the grantee of a Property shall be jointly and severally liable with the grantor for all unpaid assessments against the grantor as provided in this Declaration up to the time of conveyance, without prejudice to the grantee's right to recover from the grantor the amount paid by the grantee therefor.

However, any such grantee shall be entitled to a statement from the Association setting forth the amount of such unpaid assessment and any such grantee shall not be liable for, nor shall the Property conveyed be subject to a lien for, any unpaid assessments against the grantor pursuant to this Declaration in excess of the amount therein set forth.

# PART B CONDITIONS, COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS

- **B-1)** Applicability. The following provisions in this Part B shall apply to all Lots and Outlots, as described in Exhibit "A" and such other Lots or Outlots as may, in the future, be subjected to this Declaration, as the same may be amended from time to time, by Declarant in the sole exercise of Declarant's discretion.
- B-2) <u>Land Use And Building Type</u>. Only the following designated uses for Lots and Outlots shall be permitted:
- A) Lots 1-261 shall be used for single family residential purposes. No building shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one detached single family dwelling unit not to exceed two and one-half stories in height. Each dwelling unit shall have an attached or detached garage of a size to be approved by the Committee, as that term is defined below. The size of a dwelling unit to be constructed on specific Lots shall not be less than the minimum size to be established hereinafter.
- B) Outlots 7, 8, 10, 13-16, 21 are Public Alleys, as shown on the Plat, and shall be dedicated to the Public. The cost of the maintenance of the Public Alleys shall be the responsibility of the City of Madison except for trash removal as referenced in Section B-16) Notice to Owners, Subparagraph B)
- C) Outlots 1, 5, 6, 17 and 19 shall be used as private open space and buffer, and shall be deemed a part of the Common Property, which the Association is obligated to maintain under Section (A) of the Declaration, the cost of maintenance of said Common Property shall be an assessment against all of the Property in the subdivision in accordance with the Declaration, for so long as such maintenance is necessary or required.
- D) Outlot 3, 18, 20 and 24 shall to be dedicated to the City of Madison for Stormwater management. Maintenance shall be the responsibility of the City of Madison.
- E) Outlot 2, 4, 9 and 11 shall be retained by the land seller and in the future, Outlot 4 may be further subdivided and rezoned for single family, multifamily, or apartments use.
- F) Outlot 12 and 23 shall be dedicated to the City of Madison for public park purposes. Maintenance shall be the responsibility of the City of Madison.
- G) Outlot 22, shall be sold by Declarant to Madison Metropolitan School District ("MMSD") as a proposed school site. None of the provisions of this Declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions and/or amendments shall be effective against said Outlot 22, provided the property is developed as a public school. If the property is developed for any other use than

a public school, the provisions of this Declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions and/or amendments shall be in effect for Outlot 22. In the event the site is not developed for a public school it may be further subdivided into single family homes.

H) Section 28.04(25) of the Madison General Ordinances requires that new subdivisions in the City of Madison contain lots that are reserved for the construction of dwelling units to be owned by families with an annual income that is less than the Area Median Income, as that term is defined in the Ordinance. Section 28.04 of the Madison General Ordinances is popularly known as the Inclusionary Zoning Ordinance. The lots in the Subdivision which, pursuant to agreement between the Developer and the City of Madison, have been designated as inclusionary zoning lots, and which are subject to the requirements to the Ordinance, are Lots 17, 20, 28, 34, 38, 46, 51, 57, 68, 81, 88, 96, 99, 106, 110, 114, 117, 121, 128, 146, 152, 158, 163, 166, 170, 175, 187, 191, 194, 205, 212, 216, 219, 225, 232, 237, 246, 252 and 255. All inclusionary zoning lots are subject to a recorded Land Use Restriction, also required by the City of Madison, which contains restrictions that are specific to such lots.

Uses, other than the uses set forth in this section B-2, shall not be permitted on the Lots or Outlots, as applicable, without the prior written approval of the Declarant and Committee (defined in Section B-3 below), as appropriate. After Declarant control of the Association has terminated, approval from the Association and the Committee shall be required.

Except as otherwise provided herein, no buildings, other than signs or other structures incidental to the use of any Outlot, which have been approved in advance by the Committee, may be constructed on any Outlot.

All rights-of-way noted on the Plat shall be dedicated as permanent public streets and rights-of-way and shall be improved in accordance with agreements entered into between the Declarant and the municipality in which the Development is located.

- **B-3)** Architectural Control. No building shall be erected, placed or altered on any Lot until the construction plans and specifications and a plan showing the location of the structure have been approved by a majority of the Architectural Control Committee (the "Committee") as to quality of workmanship and materials, harmony of external design with existing structures, and as to location with respect to topography and finish grade elevation. There shall be a variation in building elevations on adjacent Lots. Approval shall be as provided below.
- B-4) <u>Dwellings and Landscaping</u>. The landscaping to be installed on all Lots must meet or exceed the minimum number of points for foundation planting and cumulative total landscaping points, including foundation planting points as set forth hereafter as described in Exhibit C, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference and further described in the Design Guidelines. The number of points attributable to various elements of the landscaping to be installed shall be determined by reference to Exhibit D, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference and further referenced in the Design Guidelines. The structure and the minimum landscaping requirements shall be completed within nine (9) months after issuance of a building permit. All driveways shall be of concrete and shall be installed within nine (9) months after substantial completion of the structure. No outbuilding or accessory building of any nature shall be erected on any Lot with the exception of detached garages approved by the Committee in advance of construction. No above-ground swimming pools shall be permitted. All Lot areas not used as a building site, or under cultivation as a family garden, shall be planted with grass seed or shall be sodded, and shall be maintained on a regular seasonal basis, including mowing of a frequency of not less than once every 14 days during the lawn growing season. Maintenance of all

improvements on a Lot shall be performed by the Owner. Maintenance shall include, but not be limited to, watering, pruning and routine fertilizing and mulching of all plantings and plant beds, replacement of dead, dying and/or diseased trees and shrubs, prompt removal of weeds, trash and debris from plant beds and areas adjacent to shrubs and trees so as to keep said landscaping in a healthy, attractive and neat condition.

If the Owner of any Lot, after reasonable notice, fails or refuses to install landscaping as described herein, or maintain it as required above, the Committee, through its duly authorized agents or employees, shall have the right to enter upon said Lot at reasonable hours to perform said landscaping and/or maintenance. The costs of the materials and labor to perform such landscaping and/or maintenance shall be assessed against said Lot in accordance with the terms of Section A-4 (B)(2) above, which assessment may be foreclosed or collected in accordance with the terms hereof or collected as provided herein.

- B-5) <u>Vehicle and/or Equipment Storage</u>. No inoperable, dilapidated or junk vehicles of any nature may be kept upon any Lot except in a fully enclosed garage. The exterior storage of boats, trailers, travel trailers, campers, motorcycles, recreational vehicles, automobiles or trucks (collectively, without limitation by reason of enumeration "Equipment"), of any nature is prohibited whether or not screened from public view. No Equipment shall be parked or stored on lawns. The temporary storage of vehicles in a drive area for the purpose of loading or unloading for a period not to exceed twelve (12) hours is permitted. No commercial vehicles, including trucks, semi-trailers or trailers, may be stored or parked overnight on or in front of said Lots except in an enclosed garage.
- **B-6)** Construction On Adjoining Lots. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to prohibit the construction of a residential dwelling or private garage partially on one Lot and partially on an adjoining Lot without regard to side yards between adjoining Lots, provided that all such Lots are owned by the same person or persons.

#### B-7) Easements.

- A) No structure, planting, or other materials shall be placed or permitted to remain within any easement of record (an "Easement") if any, which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities, or which may change, obstruct or retard the flow of water or the direction of such flow through the Easement or through such other drainage channels or swales that may have been created by the Plat or otherwise. The Easements located on each Lot and all improvements therein shall be maintained continuously by the owner of the Lot, except for those improvements for which a public authority or utility company is responsible.
- B) The Intra-block drainage Easement shall be graded with the construction of each principal structure in accordance with the approved Stormwater Drainage Plan on file with the City Engineer and the Zoning Administration, as amended in accordance with the Madison General Ordinances.
- C) Certain Lots, defined below, within the Plat are subject to a Joint Driveway Easement and/or Maintenance Agreements, which shall be for driveway purposes as shown on the Plat and will be subject to a Joint Driveway Easement ("Joint Driveway Easement") and/or Maintenance Agreements ("Maintenance Agreements") setting forth the adjoining Lot Owners' rights to use and obligations to maintain the joint driveway. The configurations of some Lots on the public alleys require that they have a shared driveway. In some cases, that will require one Lot to grant the other an Easement permitting use of the joint portion of the driveway and allocating responsibility for maintenance costs.

In other cases, the Lot will only have a Joint Maintenance Agreement ("Joint Maintenance Agreement") allocating responsibility for maintenance of the joint driveway located in the public-right-of-way.

- 1) Lot 79 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 80.
- 2) Lot 94 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 93.
- 3) Lot 115 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 116.
- 4) Lot 161 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 162.
- 5) Lot 169 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 170.
- 6) Lot 177 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 178.
- 7) Lot 185 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 186.
- 8) Lot 197 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 196.
- 9) Lot 247 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 246.
- 10) Lot 253 is subject to an ingress/egress easement granted to Lot 254.
- D) Public utility easements five foot (5') wide unless otherwise noted on the Plat). Utility easements as herein set forth on the Plat are for the use of public and private utilities having the right-of-way to serve the area.
- E) All lots within this plat are subject to a non-exclusive easement for drainage purposes which shall be a minimum of five feet (5') in width measured from the property line to the interior of each lot except that the easement shall be ten feet (10') in width on the perimeter of the Plat. Easements shall not be required on the property lines shared with greenways or public streets.

#### B-8) Slope and Swale Areas.

- A) The graded slopes and swales as established by Declarant shall remain as permanent. Within these slopes and swales, no structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain, or other activities undertaken which may damage or interfere with established slope and swale ratios, create erosion or sliding problems or which may change the direction of flow of drainage channels or obstruct or retard the flow of water through drainage channels. The slopes and swales of each Lot and all improvements in them shall be maintained continuously by the Owner of a Lot, at the Owner's sole expense, except for those improvements for which a public authority or utility company is responsible.
- B) In order to control run off, all down spouts and down spout extenders are to drain into a permeable area such as grass or a planting bed.
- C) Declarant and the City of Madison have agreed to a certain Storm Water Management Plan. In the event of conflict between any plans and such Storm Water Management Plan, the Storm Water Management Plan shall control. Declarant and the Association shall each have the right to enter upon any Lot at any time for the purpose of inspection, maintenance or correction of any drainage condition and the Lot Owner shall be responsible for the cost thereof.
- D) Any disputes relating to drainage swales, drainage or other surface water issues, shall be resolved by the Board of Directors of the Association, which may seek the advice of the City Engineer of the City of Madison. The Association shall establish procedures by which such decisions can be heard by the Board of Directors and decided by said Board.

- **B-9)** Nuisances. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood or which may have a detrimental effect on the value of other Lots and/or improvements.
- **B-10**) <u>Temporary Structures</u>. No structure of a temporary character, trailer, basement, tent, shack, garage, barn or other outbuilding shall be used on any Lot at any time as a residence, either temporarily or permanently.
- **B-11)** Signs. No sign of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any Lot except, one professional sign of not more than one square foot, one sign of not more than six square feet advertising the property for sale or rent or signs without regard to size used by the Declarant, a builder or licensed real estate broker to advertise the property during the construction and sales period or to identify the subdivision and/or its Declarant.
- **B-12)** Animals. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred or kept on any Lot, except that dogs, cats or other household pets may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred or maintained for any commercial purpose. No animal enclosure, house, pen or fences or similar device shall be placed on any Lot without the prior written approval of the Committee which may require special landscaping and screening.
- B-13) Garbage and Refuse Disposal. No Lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish. Trash, garbage or other waste shall not be kept except in sanitary containers. No incinerators shall be permitted. Other equipment for the storage or disposal of such material shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition. No trash, building materials, debris, leaves, lawn clippings, rocks or earth shall be placed in any Outlot.
- B-14) Sight Distance at Intersections. No fence, wall, hedge or shrub planting which obstructs sight lines at elevations between 30" and 72" above the roadways shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner Lot within the triangular area formed by the street property lines and a line connecting them at points twenty five (25) feet from the intersection of the street lines, or in the case of a rounded property corner, from the intersection of the street property lines extended. The same sight-line limitations shall apply on any Lot within ten (10) feet from the intersection of a street property line with the edge of a driveway or alley pavement. No tree shall be permitted to remain within such distances of such intersections unless the foliage line is maintained at sufficient height to prevent obstruction of such sight lines.
- B-15) Mailboxes. Mailboxes serving homes in the neighborhood, whether individual or multigang shall be as determined, and as provided by Declarant at Declarant's sole cost and expense. Damaged or missing mailboxes shall be replaced with a mailbox identical in all respects with that originally provided, at the sole cost and expense of the Owner(s). The location and placement of the mailboxes shall be at the sole discretion of the United States Postal Service.
- B-16) Notices to Owners. The following information is being put of record in order to give record notice to all Owners, mortgagees and other persons and entities having an interest in the Property:
- A) Portions of the neighboring property have been approved for multi-family apartments or condominiums. At closing, the deed for each Lot will include an Exhibit A attachment

evidencing Owners waiver of objection to such uses. By acceptance of a deed to a Lot, Owners accept such uses and waive any objections to the same.

- B) Public Alleys: Public Alleys as shown on the Plat will be dedicated to the City of Madison. The cost of the maintenance of the Public Alleys shall be the responsibility of the City of Madison. Certain Lots in the Development border public alleys, which are intended to serve as the access to such Lots. Restrictions on the public alleys are summarized as follows:
- 1) There will be no public trash, leaf or recycled material pick-up service in said alley, but instead, there will be one or more trash pick-up collection points designated by the Declarant to be used by Owners of a Lot bordering the alley in question. Trash pick-up may initially provided by the Association and charged as an expense of the Association, but such arrangement may be changed to provide for public or some other method of trash pick-up at a future time as determined by the Declarant or the Association. Trash receptacles and recycling receptacles must be removed within 24 hours of pick-up.
- 2) Mailboxes for homes located on the public alleys may be clustered at one end of the public alley in question or clustered at various locations along the public street. Location and placement of the mailboxes is the sole discretion of the United States Postal Service.
- 3) Snow removal, repair and replacement of public alleys will be the responsibility of the City of Madison.
- 4) Homes with garage access to a public alley are required to have two (2) "coach" lights on each side of the garage door, which will be wired to a photo electric eye for automatic use from dusk to dawn. The lights have been pre-selected by Declarant. There are 4 selections available. It is the Buyer's responsibility to maintain the lights so that they are always operational.
- C) Plantings, flower beds, and entry signs (including utility installations connected therewith) constructed and installed by Declarant, if any, shall be deemed a part of the Common Area. The Association is obligated to maintain any entry feature; maintenance shall include electrical charges (if any), sign repair and maintenance of the landscaping including mowing of all lawns and grass areas. The cost of maintenance of said Common Property shall be an assessment against all of the Property in the subdivision in accordance with the Declaration, for so long as such maintenance is necessary or required adversely affects the natural flow of surface or underground waters with in the area permitted.

## PART C ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE

C-1) Membership. Declarant shall establish an Architectural Control Committee ("Committee") consisting of three (3) members. So long as Declarant has title to any Lot subject to this Declaration, the Committee shall be appointed by Declarant. After Declarant no longer has title to any Lot within the Development or at such earlier time as determined by the Declarant, the initial members of the Committee shall resign and the Association shall elect three (3) Owners to serve on the Committee. At any time, Declarant may elect to surrender the selection of the members of the Committee to the Association.

A majority of the Committee may designate a representative to act for it. In the event of the death or resignation of any member of the Committee, the remaining members shall have full authority to designate a successor.

The Committee appointed hereunder shall serve for the time period specified in paragraph C-10, below. Any Committee member may resign prior to said date. Such resignation shall be effective upon receipt. If a resignation shall occur, prior to turning over control of the Committee, then the remaining members of the Committee may appoint a replacement.

- C-2) Architectural Control. No structure, whether residence, accessory building, tennis court, swimming pool, decks, patios, antenna (whether located on a structure or on a Lot), flag pole, wall, landscaping or other improvements, including exterior colors and materials to be applied to said improvements, shall be constructed, maintained or performed upon any Lot and no alteration or repainting of the exterior of a structure shall be made unless complete Architectural Review Application ("Application") depicted in Exhibit F attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, plans, specification and plot plans therefore shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by a majority of the Committee. Approval shall also be required for location of improvements with respect to topography and finish grade elevation. Said Application, plans, specifications and plot plans shall show the exterior design, height, building materials and color scheme thereof, the location of the structure plotted horizontally and vertically, the location and size of driveways, the plans for required landscaping, and the grading plan. A copy of such Application, plan specifications and plot plans as finally approved shall be deposited with the Committee.
- C-3) Plan Review. The Committee shall review said Application, plans and specifications as to quality of workmanship and materials, harmony of external design with existing or proposed structures and as to location with respect to topography and finish grade elevation. The Development will be the subject of a comprehensive, written set of Design Guidelines as set forth herein at Part D. The Committee shall use the guidelines set forth in this Declaration as an aid in exercising its architectural control responsibilities hereunder, but nothing contained herein or therein shall limit the Committee's discretion to grant variances from or make changes to, the guidelines, as they shall determine in the sole exercise of their discretion.

#### C-4) Procedure.

- A) Neither the members of the Committee nor its designated representative shall be entitled to any compensation for services performed pursuant to this covenant for the initial approval of a residential structure. Thereafter, said Committee may charge a "request for action" or "approval" fee not to exceed \$50.00 for each such request or approval. The Committee's approval or disapproval, as required in these Covenants, shall be in writing. In the event the Committee fails to approve or disapprove within thirty (30) days after application, plans and specifications or any other matters requiring approval have been submitted to it, the request shall be deemed denied.
- **B)** A submission will not be complete, and the thirty (30)-day approval time, as applicable, set forth above shall not commence until all documents required herein have been submitted. All such submissions shall be made to the Committee at the address set forth in this Declaration or to such other address that the Committee may designate.
- C) The Committee shall have the sole right to reject any application and plans which, in the judgment and sole opinion of a majority of its members are not in conformity with this Declaration; or are not desirable for aesthetic reasons; or are not in harmony with buildings located on the surrounding Lots; or are not in conformity with the general purposes of this Declaration.

- D) The Committee shall exercise its sole approval authority and discretion in good faith and each Owner, by acceptance of a deed to, or any other interest in, a Lot, agrees to hold the Committee harmless from any perceived discrepancies in the Committee's good-faith performance of its duties. Refusal of approval of plans by the Committee may be based on any grounds, including purely aesthetic grounds, which in the sole discretion of the Committee shall be deemed sufficient.
- E) The Committee may set its own operating procedures consistent with this Declaration and any limitations hereafter imposed by the Association. The costs of operating the Committee shall be assessed by the Association as Common Property expenses, except as permitted below. The Committee may engage consultants (e.g., architects, engineers or attorneys) either on a general or on a case-by-case basis, and the costs thereof may be charged to an applicant. The members of the Committee shall not draw any compensation for serving thereon but may be reimbursed for expenses incurred in performing their duties. All funds relating to the Committee shall be handled by the Association.
- <u>C-5)</u> Separate City Approval. Matters which require approval of the Committee may also require approval of the City of Madison. Obtaining approval from the Committee and the City of Madison is solely the responsibility of the Owner desiring approval. Approval of Plans by the Committee shall not be deemed approval by the City of Madison and approval by the City of Madison shall not be deemed approval by the Committee.
- C-6) Records. Until such time as a replacement Committee is designated, all plans, applications and requests shall be submitted to said Committee at the following address:

Linden Park Homeowners Association, Inc. Architectural Control Committee 6801 South Towne Drive Madison, Wisconsin 53713

- C-7) <u>Committee Liability</u>. Neither the Committee nor any member thereof shall be liable for damages to any person submitting request for approval or to any Owner of any Lot by reason of any action, failure to act, approval, disapproval or failure to approve or disapprove with regard to such requests. The Committee is not responsible for ensuring that the application and plans submitted by an Owner are in compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations, ordinances or customary and typical building practices.
- C-8) <u>Indemnification</u>. Each member or former member of the Committee, together with the personal representatives and heirs of each such person, shall be indemnified by the Association against all loss, costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, asserted against, incurred by or imposed in connection with or resulting from any claim, action, suit or proceeding, including criminal proceedings, to which such person is made or threatened to be made a party by reason of service as a member thereof, except as to matters resulting in a final determination of gross negligence or willful misconduct on the part of such member. In the event of settlement of such proceeding, indemnification shall be provided only in connection with such matters covered by the settlement as to which the Association is advised by counsel that the person to be indemnified has not been guilty of gross negligence or willful misconduct in the performance of such person as a member in the matter involved. This right of indemnification shall be in addition to all other rights and defenses. All liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses incurred or suffered by the Association in connection with this

indemnification shall be a Common Property expense. Nothing in this Section C-8 shall be deemed an indemnification of such person with respect to such person's status as an Owner, occupant or otherwise.

- C-9) <u>Variance</u>. The Committee shall have the power and absolute discretion to authorize a variance from any of the requirements of this Declaration if it finds that the strict application thereof would, in its sole discretion and opinion, result in difficulties or undue hardship to the Lot owner or in the event the architecture of the proposed Lot improvement is such as to present, in its opinion, a particularly pleasing appearance compatible with other houses in the development.
- C-10) <u>Successor to Committee</u>. Declarant may turn over control of the Committee to the Members of the Association at any time, and shall turn over control when Declarant no longer has any ownership interest in the Property. At such time as Declarant turns over Committee control, the Association's Board of Directors shall designate not less than three (3) or more than five (5) Members of the Association to serve and act as the Committee for all purposes hereunder.

## PART D DESIGN GUIDELINES

#### D-1) Single Family Dwelling Units.

A) Architectural Character. Architecture within the Development will be developed with a variety of American vernacular architectural styles in mind. These architectural styles, while not a comprehensive list, will offer a unique mixture of styles for the development, and will be applied with proportions and character in mind. The overall character of the development will be created so that the architectural styles are compatible and the overall cohesion of styles will help foster a unique setting without stifling the architectural creativity on the individual building level, creating a varied but integrated community. The following styles are permitted:

Cottage	Craftsman	Four Square	Farmhouse	Main Street
Prairie	Shingle	Traditional	Victorian	Southern Traditional

The requirements as itemized in the following section will be used as applicable to the context of the specific architectural style. Declarant reserves the right to grant variances in its sole discretion. Where city zoning is more restrictive, such requirements will govern.

- B) Front Porch. Usable front porches are encouraged as both visual and functional design elements.
- 1) A usable open front porch is defined as having a minimum depth of 6'-0", and a minimum width of 8'-0".
- 2) Porch post style should be consistent with the overall architectural style of the home. Minimum standard porch design details include the following; porch posts or alternate per plan, porch balustrades, when provided, of nominal 2" x 2" square wood at a maximum of six inches (6") on center; and newel posts that are of the same design as the base of the column posts. Porch columns and railings shall be painted to match the trim color of the house.

#### C) <u>Garage</u>:

- There shall be a minimum of a two (2) car, 20' x 20' garage per dwelling unit.
- 2) The maximum garage width exposed on the front elevation shall be no greater than fifty percent (50%) of the overall building width.
- 3) A front-entry garage cannot project beyond the face of the home or the open porch. For homes without porches adjacent to the garage, the garage face must be set back a minimum of 2'-0" from the front elevation or otherwise comply with the applicable zoning classification requirements.
- 4) Tandem, split or side entry garages are encouraged for three or four car garages. For 3-car front entry garages, the third stall must have a minimum setback of the greater of two feet (2') from the two-car garage line or as required by compatible roof design. Overall garage width must comply with zoning and design guideline standards.
- 5) The garage door shall be a raised panel design painted to match the siding on the home. The use of windows in the door, appropriate to the architectural style, is encouraged. The maximum single garage door size allowed is 8' x 18'.

#### D) <u>Ornamental Design Elements.</u>

- 1) Ornamental design elements, such as dormers, shutters, window wrap window grids, gable vents, pilasters, pediments, etc., shall be used in a manner consistent with the overall architectural style of the home and with emphasis on elevations exposed to public space.
- Window wrap or shutters and window grids are required on front and other primary elevations facing a public space. Gable vents, 5" horizontal vinyl trim, and/or eyebrow roofs are required on front elevation gables greater than 10'-0" in width and are encouraged on other gables as deemed appropriate by the Architectural Control Committee.
- 3) The shutters shall be wood or polystyrene with colors as outlined in the Color Chart established by Declarant for the Development or of other material or color as deemed acceptable by the Architectural Control Committee. Panel or louver design shutters shall be used as appropriate to home materials & style.
- 4) The window wrap shall be 3½" smooth finish vinyl with colors as outlined in the Color Chart and used with box outs or when part of the standard plan.
- 5) Gable vents shall be the NuWood triangle or peaked series or equivalent for the front elevation, and side elevations facing a public street, or other design approval by the Architectural Control Committee. Other gable ornamentation as appropriate to architectural style may be allowed or required by the Architectural Control Committee.

#### E) <u>Roof/Facias/Soffits/Eaves.</u>

#### 1. Roof Standards:

a) Roof design must be consistent with the overall architectural style

- of the home. Roof forms and pitches as established on individual styles may not be altered without approval by the Architectural Control Committee.
- b) Roof material shall be Owens Coming Oakridge 30 architectural shingle or equal as approved by the Committee. Colors shall be as outlined in the approved neighborhood color chart.
- c) Use of an eyebrow roof or projecting gable is required at brick walls not extending into a gable are encouraged, as appropriate, at double gable returns and porch column caps.
- d) Hip roof design, porches or other elements deemed appropriate by the Architectural Control Committee may be used in lieu of specific gable requirements.

#### 2. Fascia, Soffit and Eave Standards:

- a) Facia shall be 6" or 8" minimum, as determined by plan, aluminum with colors as outlined in the Color Chart, wood may be used when appropriate to the architectural style.
- b) Aluminum soffit and eave color shall match facia.
- c) A minimum twelve-inch (12") overhang is required at typical eaves and gable ends. However, six inches (6") is allowable with projections less then 6'-0" in width, such as the fireplace chase and a small bay window, and beyond structure line at open porches.

#### F) Exterior Wall Surfaces.

- 1) Siding material shall be Wolverine Classic Triple 3 smooth finish or equal as approved by the Committee. Classic double 4.5 or special shapes may be used as appropriate to architectural style. Colors shall be as outlined in the approved neighborhood color chart.
- 2) Windows may be vinyl, vinyl clad, aluminum clad or wood with colors as outlined in the approved neighborhood color chart.
  - 3) Variation of wall planes on primary elevations is encouraged.
- 4) Any elevations facing public streets or spaces shall have a minimum of two (2) windows with wrap trim or shutters and window grills as appropriate and one (1) gable vent.
- 5) The use of brick or stone is encouraged as appropriate to architectural style. When brick is used, it shall be on full wall surfaces from foundation to eaves or on a two-story elevation at least to the second floor windowsill line. When brick is used, a soldier course window heads and rowlock sills are required. Additional details (i.e. projecting belt course and projecting corner accents) are encouraged as appropriate. Stone may be used as full wall surfaces or as a base course to first floor sill line. Brick or stone facing must return a minimum of 2'-4" when terminated at an outside corner.

6) Brick or stone material and color selections shall be as indicated on the Color Chart and harmonious with overall neighborhood palette, as well as with the specific home design.

#### D-2) Other Improvements.

- A) Fences All fencing must receive prior written approval of the Committee and shall comply with any requirements set out below. The Committee may also require the installation and maintenance of landscape materials for screening and aesthetic purposes. A zoning approval or building permit from the City of Madison may be required to construct fencing. Committee approval does not supercede the need for any municipal approvals or permits.
- 1) Fencing shall consist of wood and shall be stained or painted. Only two styles of fencing are permitted and are detailed in Exhibits "E-1" and "E-2".
  - a) All fencing shall be erected finish side out, i.e. pickets on the outside of the rail facing the street or neighboring lot.
  - b) Posts shall be spaced a minimum of 72" and a maximum of 96" on center. Rails shall be discontinuous and abut into the posts.
  - c) Gates are permitted and shall be consistent with the fencing style.
    All gates shall open into the lot.
  - d) Fencing colors shall match the lighter of the home's trim or siding color.
  - 2) Appropriate uses of fencing:
    - a) Fencing shall be limited to rear and side yards only.
    - b) Fencing shall meet up with the corners of the home or garage and may not project past the front face of home or garage.
    - c) Only one fence is permitted along adjoining properties. Corners of adjoining properties fencing shall intersect at common corners.
    - d) Fencing at side yards of corner lots may not project past the sideyard setback for that side facing the street. Refer to your survey map to establish side yard setbacks for the side of the lot facing the street.
  - 3) Inappropriate use of fencing:
    - a) Fencing in front yards shall not be permitted.
    - b) Fencing shall not occur in freestanding segments or be placed arbitrarily.

- c) Fencing shall not meet porch or deck corners.
- d) Fencing shall not interfere with utility equipment. Your utility companies shall be consulted for current requirements and the most restrictive shall apply.
- B) <u>Decks</u>. All decks must receive prior written approval of the Committee and shall comply with any requirements set out below. The Committee may also require the installation and maintenance of landscape materials for screening and aesthetic purposes. A zoning approval or building permit from the City of Madison may be required to construct a deck. Committee approval does not supercede the need for any municipal approvals or permits.
  - 1) Appropriate deck design shall incorporate the following criteria:
    - a) Deck(s) shall be proportionate in size to the footprint of the dwelling
    - b) Deck(s) shall be proportionate in length and width
    - c) Deck(s) shall not project past the rear or side yard setbacks
    - d) Deck(s) at side yards of corner lots may not project past the corner of the home or garage for that side facing the street.
    - e) Deck(s) must be stained or painted
  - 2) Inappropriate deck design:
    - a) Deck(s) in front yards shall not be permitted.
    - b) Deck(s) shall not occur in freestanding segments or be placed arbitrarily on the lot.
    - c) Deck(s) shall not interfere with utility equipment. Your utility companies shall be consulted for current requirements and the most restrictive shall apply.
- C) Kennels/Runs. All dog kennels or dog runs must receive prior written approval of the Committee and shall comply with any requirements set out below. The Committee may also require the installation and maintenance of landscape materials for screening and aesthetic purposes. A zoning approval or building permit from the City of Madison may be required to construct kennels/runs and fencing. Committee approval does not supercede the need for any municipal approvals or permits.
- Fencing surrounding kennel or run shall consist of wood and shall be stained or painted. Only two styles of fencing are permitted and are detailed in Exhibits "E-1" and "E-2".
  - a) All fencing shall be erected finish side out, i.e. pickets on the outside of the rail facing the street or neighboring lot.
  - b) Posts shall be spaced a minimum of 72" and a maximum of 96" on center. Rails shall be discontinuous and abut into the posts.

- c) Gates are permitted and shall be consistent with the fencing style.
  All gates shall open out from the kennel or run.
- d) Fencing colors shall match the lighter of the home's trim or siding color.
- 2) Appropriate placement of kennels or runs:
  - Kennel or run shall be limited to rear yard only and shall be adjacent to the home.
  - b) Kennel or run shall meet up with the corners of the home or garage and may not project past the face of home or garage.
  - c) Only one kennel or run is permitted per Lot.
  - d) Kennels must be oriented with the long side parallel to home.
- 3) Inappropriate placement of kennels or runs:
  - a) Kennel or run in front or side yards shall not be permitted.
  - b) Kennel or run shall not occur in freestanding segments or be placed arbitrarily on the lot.
  - c) Kennel or run shall not meet porch or deck corners.
  - d) Fencing shall not interfere with utility equipment. Your utility companies shall be consulted for current requirements and the most restrictive shall apply.
- **D)** Outbuildings. No outbuilding, shed or accessory building of any nature shall be erected on any Lot, with the exception of a detached garage that is the only garage on the lot and is approved by the Committee prior to construction. Secondary units (granny flats) above detached garages may be allowed with prior written approval from the ACC.
- E) <u>Antennae/Wind Powered Electric Generators</u>. No wind powered electric generators, exterior television, radio receiving or transmission antennae, satellite signal receiving station or dish shall be placed or maintained upon any portion of a Lot without prior written approval of the Committee.
  - 1) Appropriate antennae or satellite dish placement:
    - a) Only one antennae or satellite dish shall be allowed per lot.
    - b) Antennae or satellite dish shall be placed in rear yards or on the rear roofline of home and shall not be visible from curb directly in front of the home.

- c) Antennae or satellite dish shall not project past the upper most roof ridgeline.
- 2) Inappropriate antennae or satellite dish placement:
  - a) Antennae or satellite dish in front or side yards shall not be permitted.
  - b) Antennae or satellite dish shall not interfere with utility equipment.
- F) <u>Firewood Storage</u>. No firewood or woodpile shall be kept on any lot unless it is neatly stacked, placed in the rear yard and screened from street view by plantings or a fence first approved in writing by the Committee.
- G) <u>Solar Collectors</u>. No active solar collector or apparatus may be installed on any Lot unless such installation is first approved in writing by the Committee, which shall consider the aesthetic and sun reflection effects on neighboring structures. Solar collectors or apparatus installed flat against or parallel to the plane of the roof shall be preferred.
- H) <u>Lighting</u>. Exterior lighting installed on any Lot shall either by indirect or of such controlled focus and intensity that such lighting will not disturb the residents of adjacent Lots.
- Conditions, Covenants and Restrictions, Developer hereby imposes upon all Lots described in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, the requirement that the Owners thereof install landscaping on such Lots which meets or exceeds the minimum number of points for landscaping set forth in Exhibit "C". The number of points attributable to various elements of the landscaping to be installed shall be determined by reference to Exhibit "D", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. All terms, covenants and conditions of Section B-4 of the Declaration of Conditions, Covenants and Restrictions, as amended herein, shall be applicable to the landscaping to be installed pursuant to the terms of this paragraph.

# PART E GENERAL PROVISIONS

- E-1) Term. This Declaration shall run with the Property and Common Property, and shall be binding on Declarant and all Members and their successors and assigns, and all persons claiming under them for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date recorded, after which time said Declaration shall be extended automatically for successive periods of five (5) years each unless an instrument signed by a majority of the Members agreeing to change said Covenants in whole or in part or to terminate the same.
- E-2) Enforcement. The Declarant (or either one of them if more than one), Architectural Control Committee or any Owner shall have the right to enforce by any proceedings at law or in equity all restrictions, conditions and covenants created or imposed herein, against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any covenant, by any action to either restrain violation or to recover damages, or both including reasonable attorney fees. Failure to enforce any covenant, condition or

restriction herein shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter. In the event of a violation of this Declaration the Committee shall have the right to assess and collect from the violating party a fine for such violation equal to the greater of (i) the actual damages suffered on account of the violation, or (ii) the sum of \$100.00 per day for each day the violation remains outstanding plus (iii) all costs of collection and enforcement, including actual attorney fees.

- E-3) Severability. Invalidation of any one of these covenants by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.
- E-4) <u>Model Homes</u>. So long as Declarant shall own any Lot in the Development, Declarant shall be permitted to maintain model homes in the Development, including therein a sales office for the purpose of sales and marketing of its homes.
- E-5) Parade of Homes and/or Condominiums. So long as Developer shall own any Lots in the Development, or condominium units in any condominium located within the Development (collectively a "Lot/Unit"). Developer reserves the right to submit some or all of said Lots/Units as a site for the Parade of Home and/or the Parade of Condominiums of the Madison Area Builders Association (the "Parade"). In the event that some or all of said Lots/Units are selected as a site for a Parade, this Declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions shall, as to the Lots/Units enrolled in the Parade, for a limited period of time ending 48 hours after the conclusion of the Parade, be deemed temporarily altered and modified, to the extent necessary, to permit the Madison Area Builders Association to hold its Parade in this Development pursuant to the then current Parade Rules and Checklist of the Madison Area Builders Association. All purchasers of Lots/Units, and/or their successors and assigns, shall take title subject to this specific reservation by the Developer and shall waive all rights to object to violations of this Declaration of Protective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions by the Developer, the Madison Area Builders Association, or any of the builders or participants in the Parade for the period of the Parade as set forth above, including the closing of any public or private streets in the Parade area. All Lot/Unit owners appoint the Developer their attorney-infact to execute all necessary petitions; applications and consents to facilitate said street closings for the Parade.
- E-6) Governing Law. This Declaration shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the terms of the laws of the State of Wisconsin. The terms of this Declaration are not intended to replace or affect any applicable laws, ordinances, rules or regulations of the City of Madison.

#### E-7) Notices.

- A) Notices to Declarant shall be given to Declarant at the following address: 6801 South Towne Drive, Madison, WI 53713.
- B) Notices to an Owner of any Lot within the Development shall be given in care of the street address of the Lot.
- C) Any party may change its address by written notice given to the other parties. Either party, its successors and/or assigns, may change said addresses by notice properly given hereunder.
- E-8) Amendment. At any time until Declarant conveys all of the Lots which comprise the entire Property, or turns control of the Association over to its Members, whichever occurs first,

Declarant may modify, amend, alter and grant variances to this Declaration without the consent of any Member, Owner or Occupant, their Mortgagees or any other party, including the Association and its Board of Directors.

- E-9) No Waiver. Whenever a waiver, consent or approval is required or permitted herein, it must be express and in writing; no waiver, consent or approval shall be implied. Failure to enforce any provision of this Declaration shall not operate as a waiver of any such provision or any other provision of this Declaration.
- E-10) <u>Number and Gender</u>. Whenever used herein, unless the context shall otherwise provide, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the use of any gender shall include all genders.
- E-11) <u>Including</u>. Whenever used herein, the term "including" preceding a list of one or more items shall indicate that the list contains examples of a general principle and is not intended as an exhaustive listing.
- E-12) <u>Captions</u>. The captions and article and section headings in this Declaration are intended for convenience and reference only and in no way define or limit the scope or intent of the various provisions hereof.
  - E-13) Remedies. All remedies herein are cumulative.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said MB Investments of Wisconsin, LLC a Wisconsin limited liability Company, has caused these presents to be signed and sealed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2005

#### MB Investments of Wisconsin, LLC

By: Veridian Development, LLC, Its Sole Member

By: WXX

Donald A. Esposito, Jr.

Assistant Secretary of Veridian Development, LLC

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

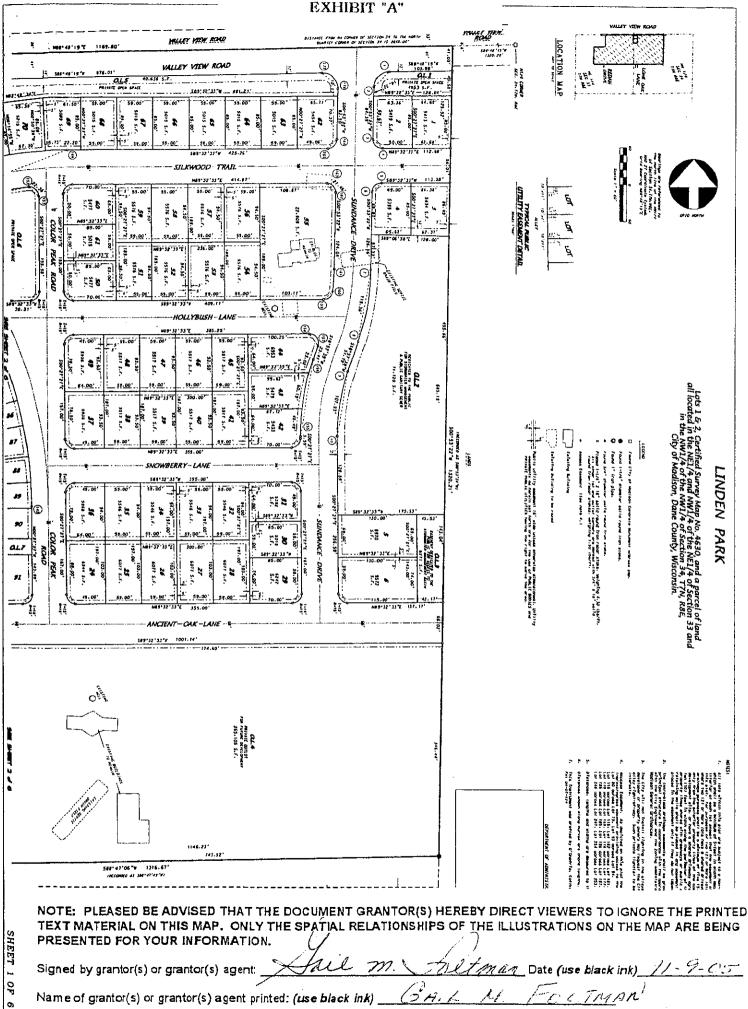
STATE OF WISCONSIN ) ss COUNTY OF DANE )

Personally came before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2005, Donald A. Esposito, Jr. the Assistant Secretary of Veridian Development, LLC to me know to be such persons and officers who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same as such officers, by its authority for the purposes therein contained.

Notary Public Dane County, Wisconsin My Commission Expires: February 25, 2007

#### **MORTGAGEE'S CONSENT**

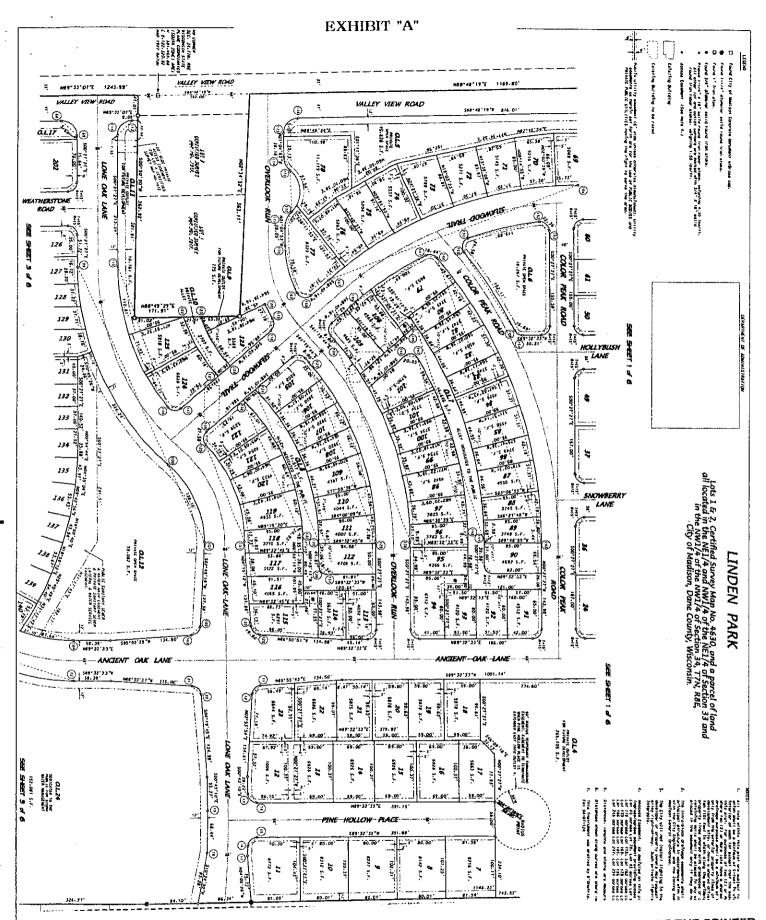
Anchor-Bank, £sb Conditions, Covenants an		by consents or the Plat of L			Declaration	of
	E	BY: MA	) Sardle			
STATE OF WISCONSIN	)		,			
	) ss					
COUNTY OF DANE	)					
Personally came before named <u>Edward</u> ₩ foregoing instrument and	Kinney	To me known			05, the abo	
	(	Darba		Terke	Le	
	1	Notary Public	Barbara	I. Tre	rker	
	ľ	Dane County, V	VI	<i>C</i>	1	
	r	My commission	expires: _	10 /28	108	



TEXT MATERIAL ON THIS MAP. ONLY THE SPATIAL RELATIONSHIPS OF THE ILLUSTRATIONS ON THE MAP ARE BEING PRESENTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION.

Signed by grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent:

1 Date (use black ink) 11-9-05 Name of grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent printed: (use black ink)



NOTE: PLEASED BE ADVISED THAT THE DOCUMENT GRANTOR(S) HEREBY DIRECT VIEWERS TO IGNORE THE PRINTED TEXT MATERIAL ON THIS MAP. ONLY THE SPATIAL RELATIONSHIPS OF THE ILLUSTRATIONS ON THE MAP ARE BEING PRESENTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION.

Signed by grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent: 

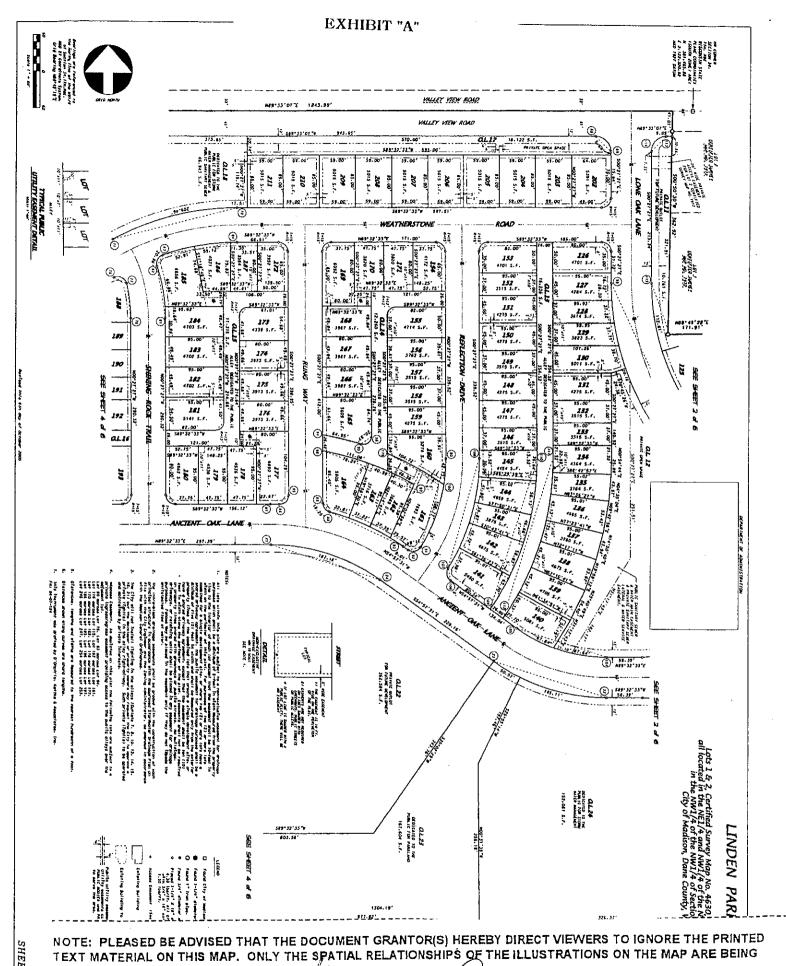
Signed by grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent: 

The spatial relationships of the illustrations on the map are being presented for your information.

Date (use black ink) 11-9-05-

Name of grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent printed: (use black ink) GAL M FOLTMAN

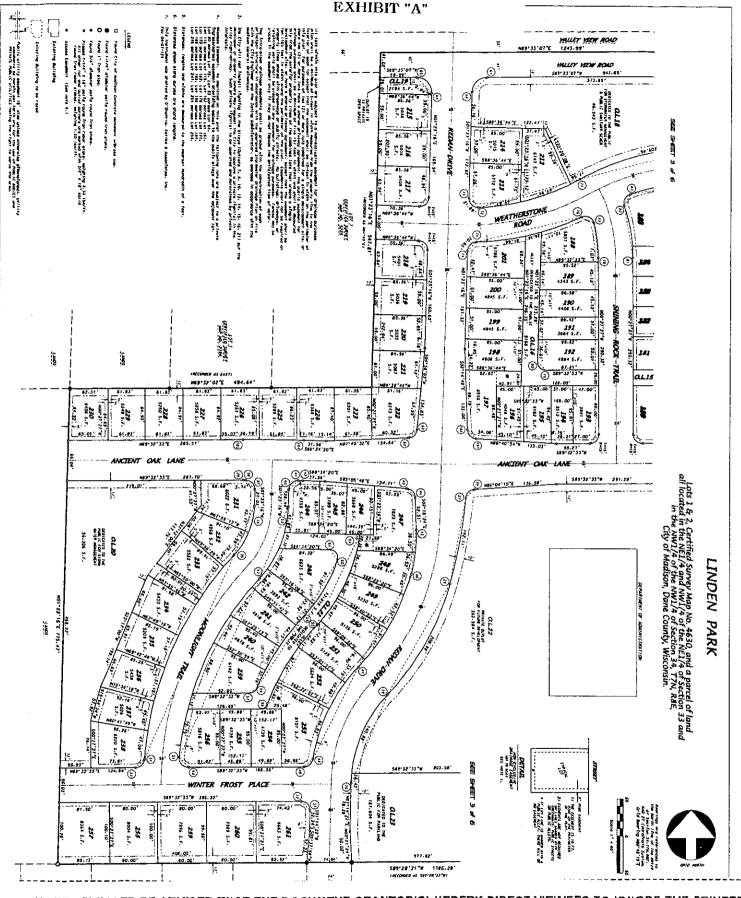
SHEET 2 OF



SHEET 3 OF 6

Date (use black ink) 11-9-05

viame of grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent printed: *(use black ink) <u>し</u>万円・/* 



NOTE: PLEASED BE ADVISED THAT THE DOCUMENT GRANTOR(S) HEREBY DIRECT VIEWERS TO IGNORE THE PRINTED TEXT MATERIAL ON THIS MAP. ONLY THE SPATIAL RELATIONSHIPS OF THE ILLUSTRATIONS ON THE MAP ARE BEING PRESENTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION.

Signed by grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent: 11-9-05

Name of grantor(s) or grantor(s) agent printed: (use black ink) 67 A. L. M. FC

SHEET 4 OF

Exhibit "B" 251/0708-331-0097-1 251/0708-342-0201-5 251/0708-342-0202-3

# EXHIBIT "C"

### **Total Minimum Points for Landscaping**

Lot(s)	Minimum Points for Foundation Plantings	Total Minimum Points for Landscaping
79, 82, 84, 85, 87, 90, 95, 98, 102-105, 109, 112, 115, 116, 119, 120, 122-127, 130, 131, 134, 136, 138-142, 144, 145, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 155, 159, 161, 164, 177-184, 188-190, 195-201, 239-243, 248-256	300	425
1-78, 80, 81, 83, 86, 88, 89, 91-94, 96, 97, 99-101, 106-108, 110, 111, 113, 114, 117, 118, 121, 128, 129, 132, 133, 135, 137, 143, 146, 149, 152, 154, 156-158, 160, 162, 163, 165-176, 185-187, 191-194, 202-238, 244-247, 257-261	350	500

#### EXHIBIT "D"

### **Landscaping Elements**

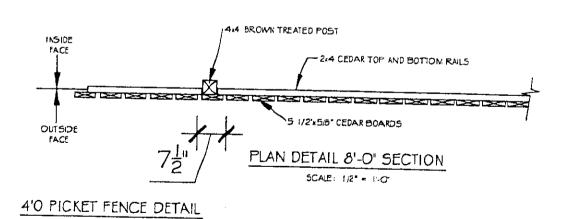
Elem	<u>ients</u>	Point Schedule
<i>A)</i>	Small Shade Trees (balled and burlaped)	50
<i>B</i> )	Medium Shade Trees (balled and burlaped)	100
<i>C</i> )	Large Shade Trees (balled and burlaped)	150
D)	Extra-Large Shade Trees (balled and burlaped)	200
<i>E</i> )	Ornamental Trees (balled and burlaped)	50
F)	Small Evergreen Trees	25
G)	Medium Evergree Trees	50
H)	Large Evergreen Trees(7' + when planted)	100
I)	Evergreen Shrubs(18" minimum diameter)	20
J)	Small Deciduous Shrubs	10
<i>K</i> )	Medium Deciduous Shrubs	15
L)	Large Deciduous Shrubs (balled and burlaped)	25
M)	Decorative Retaining Walls	
N)	Paver Stone Walks, Paths or Patios  (Points per square foot – no driveways included.)	1
<i>O</i> )	Planting Beds	1
The f	(Points per square foot – must be decorative stone or mulch.) final point totals must consist of a balanced variety of the listed elements acceptable to rol Committee. Existing vegetation, trees and shrubs may be included in the point totals if ceted and maintained during the construction process and located as such on the landscape p	the Architectural they are properly

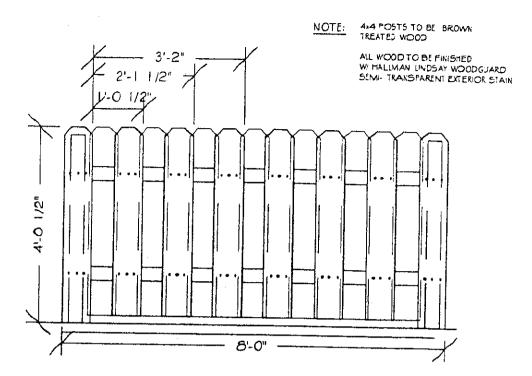
the Architectural Control Committee for approval.

NOTE: 4x4 POSTS TO BE BROWN
TREATED WOOD

ALL WOOD TO BE PINISHED
W/ HALLMAN LINDSAY WOODSLARD
SEMI- TRANSPARENT EXTERIOR STAIN

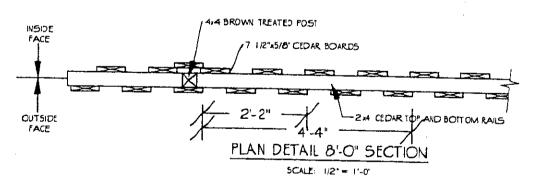
### ELEVATION TYPICAL 8'-0" SECTION 6" PICKETS





ELEVATION TYPICAL 8'-O" SECTION 7 1/2" CEDER PICKET

5CALE: 1/2" = 1'-O"



### 4'O BOARD ON BOARD FENCE DETAIL

	Custom Designed For:- Lat/Subdivision: Lat/Subdivision: Lat/Subdivision: Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/Lat/	
l leur er i	Drawn By:         Custome           Approval:         1/2004           Date:         DSH Approval:         1/2004	VERIDIAN HOMES  6801 South Towns Drive - Madison, W1 53713
I DO NOU JUAIS I	hote Picate review carefully. What a anomain the gran represents what we be constructed We will not sell trial respirabilities errors it work in built according to the costomer's approved than	(600)226-3100 Fax: (600)226-0600
Note: Ail dimensions are stud to stud	Revised:	Connect 2004 Venium tomes Protected Under Architectura World Copyright Protection Act of 1390

#### **EXHIBIT F**

### **ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW APPLICATION**

1.	Owner(s):
2.	Address:
3.	Daytime telephone number:
4.	Email address:
5.	General description of alterations being submitted:
6.	Estimated starting date:
7.	Estimated completion date:
Covena	Owner(s) hereby acknowledge they are familiar with the Declaration of Protective ants, Conditions and Restrictions (the "Restrictions"), as well as, Amendments to the Declaration ective Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions ("Amendments"), if any, of the neighborhood.
of impr	Owner(s) hereby acknowledge and agree to honor all deadlines, if any, for completion rovements referenced herein as established by the Architectural Control Committee (the nittee").
10. and wil	Owner(s) agree to store construction materials on the above referenced property only, I bear the cost of repairing any damages caused to any such other areas for non compliance.
11. followi	Owner(s) agree to remove all unused materials from public view within seven (7) days ng the completion of any work.
submitt	Owners hereby acknowledge in the event the Committee fails to approve or disapprove thirty (30) days after the application and related documents requiring approval have been ed, the application will be deemed denied. Submission will not be complete, and the thirty (30) troval time, shall not commence until after all documents required herein have been submitted.

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

#### Required Exhibits and Supporting Documentation

The documents listed below <u>must</u> accompany all application for Committee approval. Failure to submit the proper documents to the Committee will be considered incomplete and will be returned as unapproved.

- 1. Paint or stain colors: A sample of the color(s) intended to be used, along with existing paint colors on the home that will remain unchanged must be provided. Note: A photo of existing paint colors is an acceptable alternate to samples of existing colors.
- 2. <u>Finish materials</u>: A written description and/or sample of all finish material to be used for exterior modification must be provided.
- 3. <u>Site plan or plot plan</u>: A site plan or plot plan, drawn to scale, showing the location and dimension of the proposed alternations, including orientation with respect to the property lines, must be provided for applications, including but not limited to decks, patios, walls, storage sheds, fences, gazebos and any structural additions to the home.
- 4. Architectural drawing and/or landscape plans: Complete detailed architectural drawings or plans must be provided for, including but not limited to decks, storage sheds, fences, gazebos and structural addition to the home, as well as, surrounding landscaping or topography changes of the lot
- 5. <u>Contractors' estimate/proposal/plans</u>: Bids receive may include the majority of the above described requirements. You may attach these documents to the application to be submitted. The cost listed may be deleted as the Committee is not interested in the cost of the improvement.
- **6.** Additional exhibits: Additional exhibits may be required in order to permit adequate evaluation of the proposed changes. Feel free to contact the Committee for guidance prior to submission of application if in doubt.

#### **NOTICE GIVEN TO OWNERS**

- 1. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to represent those alterations to lots or buildings in accordance with these plans shall not violate any of the provision of the Building and Zoning Codes established by the municipality, to which the property is subject to. Further, nothing contained herein shall be construed as a waiver or modification of said Restrictions.
- 2. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to represent those improvements, as approved by the Committee, are buildable.
- 3. Where required, appropriate building permits shall be obtained for the municipality prior to construction. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as a waiver of said requirement.

Initials	
AIIX LIMIU	

- 4. Owner(s) is made aware and agrees that no work on this request will begin until written approval from the Committee.
- 5. Owner(s) agrees and grants express permission to the Committee to enter on the Owner's property at a reasonable time to inspect the project, during and after construction.
- **6.** Owner(s) is made aware that any approval is contingent upon the completion of the alteration in a workmanlike manner and in accordance with the approved plan and specification of said alterations.
- 7. Owner(s) is made aware that any alterations not approved by the Committee will result in a written notification from the Committee and Owner(s) agree to bring the property back into compliance within a specified time as determined by the Committee. Further, Owner(s) are aware and agree that any legal expenses associated therewith will be the sole responsibility of the Owner(s).

•			
OWNER SIGNATURE	Date	OWNER SIGNATURE	 Date

#### **APPLICATION SUBMITTAL**

- 1. Please mail or deliver a copy of the application and supporting documents to Linden Park Homeowners Association Architectural Control Committee, % Veridian Homes, 6801 South Towne Drive, Madison, WI 53713.
- 2. Do not include original documents as they may not be returned. All pages submitted must be legible copies. Faxed submissions are not acceptable.
- 3. Owner must sign, if signature line is provided, or initial any page not signed indicating that you have read and agree to the requirements and notices given that are contained within the Exhibit F submittal form.

#### **APPLICATION REVIEW**

Approved Not Approved Approved as noted (see comments) Additional Information needed (see comments)	
COMMENTS/REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL	
Copy of building permit required Copy of land survey required Color samples required Other information required:	
Comments from Committee Member:	
Committee Member Signature:	
Date:	